

SHUTTLEWORTH TIMES

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“Cut down too many forests, foul too many rivers and seas, mess up the atmosphere and we have had it.”

- L. Ron Hubbard

Pumpkin Patch Time

Time for pumpkin patches and 14-foot corn mazes! With visions of finding their Halloween pumpkin and finding their way through the corn maze, our students set off for Forneris Farms in Mission Hills.

Sitting on bales of hay, our students discovered a whole new aspect of the pumpkin patch. Carefully handling the pumpkins, the students passed around different varieties of pumpkins for closer inspection. Amazingly, the students found out from the decorative “Jack –Be-Little” to the monster-sized “Big Max”, they all take 120 days for each pumpkin to grow after the female flower on the vine has been pollinated by a bee.

But wait! The “Big Max” is too big to lift. The students weren’t able to even get their arms around it. How do they move them? Abby, Cherish and Catalina demonstrated, with a smaller pumpkin, how teamwork is used to move these monster-sized pumpkins.

Emil’s eyes rounded in wonder as he exclaimed, “I never knew corn could grow so tall!” The students entered the 14-foot rows of corn and were soon seeking their way through the maze. The way out was discovered after finding many dead-ends and doubling back. Ty exclaimed, “Before I did this, I wasn’t very good at finding my way around. But... I got us out!”



Frances, Ty, Ariel and Alexa in the corn maze.

With their pumpkins in hand, the students waved the farm goodbye.

Primary's Rainforest

“We are going to turn this classroom into a rainforest!” Primary and Elementary brought the rainforest to life, little by little.

While painting, drawing and creating six foot giant trees to go on the wall, the students learned about the different types of trees that make up the rainforest. Who lives in the trees? Animals! Each student picked pictures of different animals that lived in the rainforest.

Then they used many different painting and coloring tools such as crayons, color pencils, markers, watercolors and colored sand to give the plants and animals their unique looks.

Sophia chose a leopard to color. She patiently drew in the spots; long, round and diamond shaped and brought her leopard to life. A must see! Can you hear it roar?

Abby colored two beautiful owls with great big round eyes, while Catalina helped create the river for the animals to cool off in.

The students found pictures of flowers they had never seen before. Their choices included mushrooms that glow in the dark and plants bigger and taller than the students themselves! Ashley made a wild fern bush using green colored sand. More flowers and bushes were used to cover the forest ground.

When all plants and animals were completed. The students pasted the different trees, plants and animals on the rainforest background. Their rainforest covered the entire wall!

The excited students shouted out the names of their different trees, vines, bushes and animals. Come and visit our rainforest and meet our animals.

CALENDAR

What?	Where	When
Aquarium of the Pacific	Long Beach	11/6
Open House Prospective Students	School	3:00-6:00 11/12
Way to Happiness	Glendale	11/24
Thanksgiving	CLOSED	11/27 & 11/28

A Halloween Poem

My Nightmare in Heaven

When I walked through the pumpkin patch
I could not help but find
Something that would sit and scratch
And really wouldn't mind

It was a big black furry cat
With some orange like the sun
It just licked its paw and sat
While I was having fun.

I decided to move along
For it was getting dark
In the distance I heard a song
That echoed through the park

I pushed open a rusty gate
And knocked on the door
I wondered about my nearing fate
But I knew there would be no more

I could not clearly see
My newly found host
If you were someone like me
You would know she was a ghost

She had a little tint of green
And she said the word "die"
Now I knew the girl was mean
And I started to cry

I wanted to run back home
I wanted to live my life
She turned into a garden gnome
And pulled out a knife!

"Ahh," I screamed and woke up in bed
But I was still in fear
Going back to sleep, I would forever dread
But the time to sleep was near.

But I forgot that I didn't need to count sheep
For I was in Heaven
Because I went to sleep
And died around seven!

G'vonni, age 14

YESS!

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Drug Free Education

Narconon visited our students, educating them about the effects drugs have on the individual. The students learned there are over one hundred thousand different forms of drugs and how much harm just one drug can do. Armed with new enlightening information, the students feel ready to help others stay drug free!

Volunteers Needed!

It's never too soon to start preparing for our Winter Holiday Show. If you would like to help make costumes for our upcoming Winter Holiday Show, please contact the school office at (323) 660-8732.

Thank you!

Thank you Barbara Forneris for showing us the different varieties of pumpkins and letting us run through your corn maze!

Thank you Gabe Olague for delivering a superior Narconon drug education class. We learned so much!

Thank you Dionicio Barcenas for all your help with the promotion and dissemination of our school.

Thank you again, your help makes the world of difference!



**Ashley and Dhruv
building their rainforest.**

*Our classroom is not the world;
rather, the world is our classroom!*

Mary Shuttleworth, Ed.D
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